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IG Survey Recommendation Regarding Overseas Training Staff

1. I return herewith the several papers you provided me on this subject. You will note that those papers were used as tabs to a draft memorandum dated 5 September, which I also send you.

2. Today I reached agreement with OTR/PPS (Mr. [REDACTED]) that:

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a. We would not pursue the redefinition of the functions and responsibilities of your unit, either in the form of a revision of OTR Regulation 1-1 or otherwise.

b. We would not pursue a revision of OTR Regulation 25-9 until the new version of [REDACTED] is published.

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3. Conversations with Mr. [REDACTED] indicate that [REDACTED] will shortly appear. The version will be substantially different from that prepared April 1961 and forwarded as Tab D in the attached papers. When that [REDACTED] does come out I think we may want to rescind OTR Regulation 25-9. If we are to replace that OTR Regulation, possibly we will want to do so by a new regulation which would merely state that the OTR unit responsible for carrying out OTR's responsibilities under [REDACTED] is the Training Assistance Staff.

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4. Mr. [REDACTED] indicated in passing that a headquarters regulation will shortly issue which would charge each deputy with providing doctrine to OTR. The issuance of such a regulation might be the next occasion for a reexamination of your missions and functions, but I would hope not.

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